i.6th February A BAWD CARTED *Middlesex Sessions Rolls,* i 235

I met with a survrval of this custom of ringing basins m a Lincolnshire village in the summer of 1919 The sergeant m charge of some German prisoners working for farmers in those parts "was discovered one night in another's bed , thereupon all the \illage youth turned out armed with cans which the} beat to the refrain of Ran, tan , he s a | ery bad man/ until dispersed by the \illage policeman

igtA February A COMPANY OF PLAYERS TO BE SUPPRESSED *4 P C* t xxvui 327

i^rd February MR BODLEY'S MUNIFICENCE TO THE UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD From *Letters of Thomas Bodley to the Unrvers ty of Ozfora,* 1598-1611, edited by G W Wheeler, 1927,? 4

15*4 *February* THE LORD TREASURER. DANGEROUS^ ILL *Sidney Papers,* 11 92

2.6th February SHAkESPEARE's * HENRI THE FOURTH ' *A R* , m 105 , S T C, 22 2 So, facsimile b} W Gnggs and H E\ ans, 18 81 There is no direct contemporary evidence for the change of name, but the indirect evidence (for which see the introduction to this play in the Arden Shakespeare), together with the passages in Fuller's *Worthies* [Vv arwicksbire] and Rowe's *Life of Shakespeare,* seems to be ample Falstaffe, to judge b} the number of references in the *Shakspere Allusion Book,* was the most popular of all Shake-speared characters , he is the supreme comic figure of the Great || ar of 1588-1604 The Quarto of *I Henry IV* was repnrted m 1599, 1604, 1608, 1613, 1622, 1632, 1639

FLESH n* LEI*T *Proclamations,* 353

MARLOW E s * HERO AND LEANDER * *S T C,* 17413 , m e in *The Works of Christopher Marlowe,* edited by C F Tucker Brooke, 1910 The date is approximate, but Blunt's edition of the first part of *Heto and Leander* must have been issued earrv in 1598, for Henry Petowe had finished his sequel b\ i4th April (p 271) * On 2nd March Blunt assigned his rights to JUnley, who published a second edition with Chapman's sequel later in the }ear (P 3^{2}9) Presumably Linle}, possessing the rights in Chapman's addition, bought the copyright from Blunt to enable him to issue the whole poern *Hero and Leander* was first entered to Wolfe on 28th September, 1593, but there is no trace of an edition earlier than 1598

ist March THE DISORDERS IN GOVERNMENT IN IRELAND *SP Ireland,* 202 parti, 53, 54, letters dated i9th February

znd March THE LADY LEICESTER RECONCILED TO THE QUEE* *Sidney Papers,* u 92, 93 The Lady at this time was the wife of Sir Chris-topher Blount

$th March A NOTABLE FRAUD *A P C*, xxvui 351

6th March MR BODLEY'S GIFT TO OXFORD *S P Dam*, 266 87

"THE COUNSELLOR* *AR,* ui 106 , *STC,* 12372 The kte Sir Israel Gollancz (in *A Book of Homage to Shakespeare,* 1916, p r 73) maintained that Shakespeare took the name of Polonms, which in the First Quarto of *Hamlet* is Corambis, from this treatise

%th March THE EARL OF CUMBERLAND SAILS

Purchas, xvi 28

loth March * LOVE'S LABOURS LOST " *S T C»* 22294 , facsimile by W Gnggs and F J Funnvall, m e by Sir A T Quilier Couch and J